Officers Elected at Red Cross Meeting

Officers were elected and an Executive Committee was appointed when the Appomattox Chapter of the Red Cross met on Monday evening at the Farmers National Bank, Triangle Plaza Branch.

Elected were, front row, left to right, Rev. Cecil Daulton, Chairman; Rev. Earnie W. Lucas, Chairman Blood Program; Mrs. Virginia Doss, Treasurer; and Mrs. Dorothy Stevens, Secretary; and on the back row, left to right, are William Hunter, outgoing Chairman; Dr. S. R. Lawson, member Executive Committee; Lloyd Walton, Fund Program Chairman; Mrs. O. W. Martin, Jr., member Executive Committee; Mrs. Lacy Harvey, Recruiting Chairman; and Mrs. Ruth Drinkard, member of the Executive Board. Not shown is Mrs. Don Moses who is again serving as Chairman of Services to military families.

Other members of the Executive Board, not shown, are Rev. R. Q. Lawing, Lloyd Vaughan, Mrs. John A. Roach, Mrs. R. K. Martin, Mrs. Dan Harvey, Mrs. Bill Barnes, Mrs. John Alvis, Grover Beasley, Jr., and Jim Williams.

The annual Fund Drive for the Red Cross will be conducted during the month of March with a goal set at $2,315.

Participated In Regional Chorus

Appomattox County High School and Appomattox Middle School students participated in District III Regional Chorus at Petersburg High School, Petersburg, February 21 through February 23rd.

The students sang with 300 other students from this district for two days and presented a public concert on Sunday afternoon before returning home.

The following students were chosen through vocal audition to represent their school by their director, Mrs. Karen Gibson: from ACHS were Allen Austin, Billy Christian, Ed Jamerson, John Hudson, Levi McCoy, Johnny Motley, Marvin Watson, Sandy Chambers, Kaye Chenault, Rose Chandler, Karen Chandler, Alice Franklin, Beverly Harvey, Mary Paris, Lynn White and Merry Wright; and from the Appomattox Middle School were Willis Fleshman, Freddie Mitchell, Paul Krajewski, Beth Carter, Debbie Edmonds, Penny Elliott, Kathy Johnson and Faith Vaughan.

Rocks

FEBRUARY 24 - It was real warm over the week end. Back on D.S.T. again.

Mrs. Mary Sue Blaxton spent last Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Pearl Ranson.

Friends are sorry to hear Wiley Richardson had surgery at Virginia Baptist Hospital last week.

Buddy Martin fell out of a truck and hurt both legs and was rushed to Lynchburg General Hospital last week.

Rev. W. H. Elder was visiting his members at Hollywood Wednesday afternoon.

Sixteen from here attended the Mission Study Class at Spring Creek Church on Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Martin took their son, Bob, back to a specialist in Lynchburg Friday.

Rev. and Mrs. Don Wagner called in a number of homes last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn McIntosh had a supper for the ushers and their wives of Rocks Baptist Church on Friday night.

The last two Saturday afternoons a group of our men and young boys were working on the church grounds. They did a wonderful job beautifying the grounds and surrounding area.

The Rocks Extension Homemakers Club will meet with Mrs. Louise Wagner on March 6 at 7:30 p.m.

The Rocks Quartet will render a musical program at Rocks on March 1 along with Revelations Group from Altavista, Va. will join them at 7:30. Everyone come and bring a friend.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wingfield and Julia and Mrs. Mary Bagby were visiting Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Elder and Patricia last Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gilliland and boys of Cascade, Va. spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Frank Ranson.

Rita Inge was among the many students at Madison College on the Dean's List for the first semester of the 74-75 school year.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Caldwell and boys went to Charlottesville Sunday to join the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Caldwell, Sr. of Martinsville who were visiting their daughter.

Everyone glad to see Mr. and Mrs. Walter Shelton out Sunday after having the flu as well as others who have been sick.

Also glad to have the editor, W. Lloyd Vaughan, of the Times-Virginian at the preaching service at Rocks Sunday morning.

The Rocks Quartet went to Waynesboro Saturday to make their fourth recording.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Richardson and Mrs. Gladys Harvey were dinner guests Sunday of the former's son, Lloyd and his family. The occasion was Ronnie's 15th birthday.

A sad gloom was cast over our community Sunday afternoon when news came from Virginia Beach that Mrs. J. P. Ransone, Jr.'s grandson, Ralph Leonard, had died. Sympathy is extended these families.

Farmers were busy sowing their plant patches Saturday.

Gladstone

Mrs. Russell Moore and her mother, Mrs. A. C. Harvey, of Cullen. are spending this week in the home of Mrs. Moore's sister, Mrs. Fred Kuhls, in Miami Beach, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Carmody and Miss Kathy Watts, of Manassas, visited Friday night in the home of Duane's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Carmody.

Guest last week end in the home of Mrs. Belle Mundy and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Cyrus was Mrs. Jack Watts and family, from Manassas.

Mrs. C. R. Brown is spending this week in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Julian Banton in Richmond.

Mrs. W. E. Akers spent last week end in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Eddie Rothgeb at Shipman.

Mrs. Emmett Cunningham and Mrs. Graydon Martin spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Martin of Vienna, Va.

Miss Vicki Moore, a student at Southern Seminary College, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Moore.

Mr. Royal Moore is a patient in the University of Virginia Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Louis E. Moore and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Hunter visited him on Sunday.

Mr. Clyde Christian has been moved from Lynchburg General Hospital to a hospital in Richmond. We hope he may soon recover.

We are glad to know that Mr. Joe Megginson is home from the hospital. We hope he will soon recover.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Cunningham visited Mr. and Mrs. Milton Hunter at Brookneal on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Burke Smoot visited Mrs. Smoot's sister, Mrs. Julia Brown in Lynchburg on Friday.

Mrs. Bea Wallace and Mr. and Mrs. John Spiggle visited Miss Lois Anderson and Mr. Willis Harris at the Spout Spring Nursing Home on Sunday evening.

Revival To Begin At Early's Chapel

Week End Revival services are set to be held at Early's Chapel United Methodist Church Feb. 27 through Mar. 2.

Nightly services will begin at 7:30 p.m. and the Sunday morning service will be conducted at 11 a.m.

Dr. Bob C. Davis, full time evangelist, will be bringing the message at each of the services.

There will be special music each service with John Hall serving as song leader.

Rev. Bob Dunn, pastor of the church, extends an invitation to all to come and join in these services.

Mrs. Florence McFadden went to the University of Virginia Hospital on Wednesday for treatments.

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If you are now at vegetable gardening, don't overplant and do practice the basic skills. For the beginner, a plot no larger than 15 x 25 feet can produce a surprising amount of fresh vegetables.

You may find it helpful to have your garden soil tested. Take 8 to 10 samples, mix thoroughly and bring in a half-pint of the composite sample. Also pick up a copy of **Vegetable Gardening in Virginia** from our office.

Many home gardeners like to have outstanding examples of their labor. It may be interesting to know that in the 1974 tomato trials conducted at Virginia Tech, the variety Delicious produced fruit that averaged 14.8 ounces. This was more than twice the average size of any of the other 18 varieties in the test.

Every year I'm asked which variety of vegetables to plant. A lot depends on what your family likes or dislikes. I attempt to select varieties that carry maximum disease resistance and those that have high yielding values. For whatever value it may be, I'll list the varieties that I like for 1975: stringbeans- Tenderette; butterbeans - Henderson; squash - Seneca - Yellow; Zucchini - Ambassador, Acorn - Table Queen; sweet corn - White - Silver Queen, Yellow-In-Chief; watermelon-Yellow -Baby and Sugar Baby; canteloupe - Samson and Planters Jumbo, cucumber - Gemmi and Salty; beet - Ruby Queen; tomato - Better Boy and Tropic; lettuce - Salad Bowl; broccoli - Premium crop; Okra - Clemson Spineless; eggplant - Black Beauty; cauliflower - Snow Crown; sweet pepper - Keystone; cabbage - Stonehead and C-C Cross; English peas - Frosty; potatoes - Kennebec.

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PRECIPITATION

Last Week	1.12
This Month	3.30
This Year	11.69

"Old Fashioned Sunday" Held At Elon Church

An "Old Fashioned Sunday" was held at Elon Baptist Church in Pamplin on Sunday.

The Stewardship Class at the church, shown above, participated in the activities of the day.

Shown above, front row, left to right, were Mrs. Joan Elam, Mrs. Louise Rosser, Mrs. Kate Adams. Mrs. Sallie Gilliam and Mrs. Alease Cobb; second row, left to right, Mrs. Aueril Lorgadaire, Mrs. Glenna Hix, Mrs. Shirley Seamster, Mrs. Roxie Thomas, and J. H. Rosser; and on the back row, left to right, were Ralph Inge, H. B. Elam, W. C. Dudley, W. D. Hix, Wade Adams, and John Young, all members of the Stewardship Class.

Completes Unit On Simple Machines

Mrs. Oliver's 6th grade Science classes at Appomattox Elementary School have completed a unit on Simple Machines.

Students were afforded an opportunity to choose projects according to heir personal interests and to work on an individual basis as well as in groups.

Shown above are members of the classes displaying their work.

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Jr. FHA Held Meeting

"Making the Most Out of Me" was the title of the February meeting of the Appomattox Junior Chapter Future Homemakers of America. A panel discussion on the privileges, and responsibilities of Home Life, School Life, and Dating. The panel consisted of four people, Mrs. R. B. Carter, counselor of Appomattox Middle School, was representing the Mother and Counselor's view point, Carla Varner, State FHA president was representing a high school student; Tamara Nash, representing a 8th grader, and Rhonda Nash, representing a 7th grader. Debbie Edmonds was the moderator of the program. Each of the four guests were presented a gift of appreciation for making our program a success.

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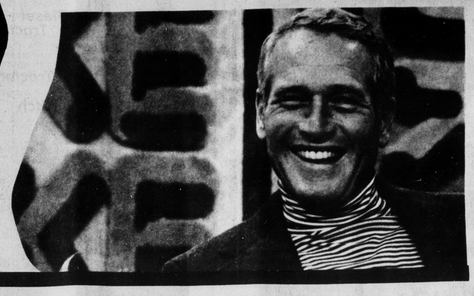
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